

CHANGES TO THE CLAIMS

33. (currently amended) A plant cell comprising a plastid including an expression cassette ~~comprising comprising~~ as operably joined components, a heterologous DNA sequence encoding a polypeptide of interest, a DNA sequence encoding a selectable marker, and ~~plastid plastid~~ DNA sequences flanking the expression cassette to facilitate stable integration of the said expression cassette into the chloroplast genome by homologous recombination, wherein said plant cell is regenerated through somatic ~~embryogenesis~~ embryogenesis.